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Via ECF and FAX

Honorable Esther Salas, U.S.D.J. U.S. District Court, District of New Jersey Martin Luther King Courthouse 50 Walnut St. Newark, N.J. 07101

Re: <u>Equal Employment Opportunity Commission v. Mitsuwa Corporation</u>, Civ. Action No. 2:09-cv-4733 (ES) (CLW)

Dear Judge Salas:

I represent Plaintiff Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) in the above matter. On June 18, 2012, EEOC filed a motion and supporting brief with the Court to exclude portions of Defendant's expert report (docket entry #91). Last night, Defendant served its brief in opposition to this motion (docket entry #92), meaning that EEOC's reply brief would be due Monday, July 9, 2012. Because of the forthcoming holiday and a previously planned vacation later this week, I am respectfully requesting a one-week extension for EEOC to file its reply brief, which would make the due date for EEOC's reply brief to be July 16, 2012. Counsel for Defendant, Charles A. Valente, has consented to this request.

Thank you for Your Honor's attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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